

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

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Amend page 63, Table 1, as follows:

TABLE 1

	Dicarboxylic acid/diamine (mol %)	P atom (ppm)	Alkali metal atom (M) Species (ppm)	M/P molar ratio	RV	Color b	Back pressure increasing coefficient K*	Filter clogging	State of heat deterioration
Example a-1	AA//MXDA 100//100	40	Na	4.5	4.5	2.10	3.3	2.5	AA
Example a-2	AA//MXDA 100//100	50	Na	4.0	4.0	2.23	3.1	3.5	AA
Example a-3	AA//MXDA 100//100	100	Na	3.5	3.5	2.65	-1.1	14	A
Example a-4	AA//MXDA 100//100	100	Na	4.0	4.0	2.65	-1.3	7.8	A
Example a-5	AA//MXDA 100//100	100	Na	5.0	5.0	2.12	1.0	3.7	AA
Example a-6	AA//MXDA 100//100	100	Na	5.0	5.0	2.65	2.0	4.5	AA
Example a-7	AA//MXDA 100//100	150	Na	5.0	5.0	2.50	1.5	5.2	A
Example a-8	AA//MXDA 100//100	190	Na	6.0	6.0	2.1	2.5	4.0	AA
Example a-9	AA//TPA//MXDA 90//10//100	150	Na	4.5	4.5	2.35	4.9	14	A
Example a-10	AA//CHDA//MXDA 90//10//100	150	Na	4.5	4.5	2.30	-2.3	12	A
Reference Example b-1	AA//MXDA 100//100	1	Na	1	-	2.65	6.5	3.0	AA
Reference Example b-2	AA//MXDA 100//100	0	Na	0.1	-	2.65	7.8	2.2	AA
Reference Example b-3	AA//MXDA 100//100	5	Na	5	-	2.65	6.2	3.9	AA

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	Dicarboxylic acid/diamine (mol%)	P atom (ppm)	Alkali metal atom (M)	M/P molar ratio	RV	Color b	Back pressure increasing coefficient K*	Filter clogging	State of heat deterioration
Reference Example b-4	AA//MXDA 100//100	9	Na	9	-	2.15	5.3	4.6	AA
Reference Example b-5	AA//MXDA 100//100	15	Na	15	-	2.65	3.6	4.5	AA
Reference Example b-6	AA//TPA/MXDA 90/10/100	9	Na	10	-	2.25	9.9	3.8	AA
Reference Example b-7	AA//CHDA/MXDA 90/10/100	9	Na	10	-	2.30	6.9	2.8	AA
Reference Example b-8	AA//MXDA 100//100	5	Li	5	-	2.67	9.4	2.2	AA
Reference Example b-9	AA//TPA/MXDA 90/10/100	5	K	5	-	2.62	9.2	3.8	AA
Reference Example 1	AA//MXDA 100//100	25	Na	93	5.0	2.11	5.0	4.5	AA
Reference Example 2	AA//MXDA 100//100	30	Na	45	-	2.65	3.8	6.0	A
Comparative example 1	AA//MXDA 100//100	200	Na	3.0	3.0	2.65	-2.9	20	B
Comparative example 2	AA//MXDA 100//100	133	Na	2.0	2.0	2.61	-1.7	29	B
Comparative example 3	AA//MXDA 100//100	100	Na	3.0	3.0	2.65	-1.5	17	B